Annual Reports

of the

Town Officers

of

MARLOW

NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the Year Ending December 31, 1949

and

School District Officers

for the Year Ending June 30, 1949

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

DAN K. MOORE LEON H. DAVIS
FRED G. HUNTLEY

Treasurer
LILLIAN M. ANDREWS

Town Clerk
MABEL D. HATCH

Supervisors

GERALD V. MORRELL ALTA P. WHIPPIE
RALPH R. WINHAM

Moderator
LEON H. DAVIS

Tax Collectors

JOHN K. COOPER HARRIET M. PERKINS

Road Agent
GEORGE N. SANDERS

Acting Overseers of the Poor
THE SELECTMEN

Trustees of Trust Funds

CALEB W. CAMERON HARRIET M. PERKINS
ROXIE A. FORBES

Auditor
ROXIE A. FORBES

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Marlow in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Jones Hall in said Marlow on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and to make appropriations for the same.

3. To raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the poor.

4. To see if the Town will apply for Class Five money known as T.R.A. and raise the sum of $300.20 required by the State.

5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repairs of highways and bridges.

6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town Library.

7. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Observance of Memorial Day.

8. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money by temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.

9. To authorize the tax collector to give two per cent cash discount on all property and personal taxes for payments made within 30 days after the date of tax bill, and empower the collector to appoint a deputy collector.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise such sums of money as may be necessary to improve Town Cemeteries.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $33.00 for the Monadnock Region Association.

12. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to sell or administer all real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collectors Deeds.

13. To see what action the Town will take in regard to those items in the Town budget not covered in the proceding articles.

14. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to publish delinquent dog taxes in the Town report.

15. To see if the Town will vote for white pine blister rust control, and raise or appropriate the sum of $200.00 for same.

16. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate $260.80 for the Elliot Community Hospital.

17. To hear the reports of officers, agents and committees heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this second day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty.

DAN K. MOORE,
LEON H. DAVIS,
FRED G. HUNTLEY,
Selectmen of Marlow.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

DAN K. MOORE,
LEON H. DAVIS,
FRED G. HUNTLEY,
Selectmen of Marlow.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1950 to December 31, 1950

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1949	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1949	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1950
Sources of Revenue:			
From state:			
Interest and dividends tax	$714 79	$736 58	$736 58
Savings bank tax	72 36	81 39	81 39
Reimbursement a/c state and federal forest lands	74 62	75 63	75 63
From local sources except taxes:			
Dog licenses		154 00	150 00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court		124 37	
Rent of town hall and other buildings		10 00	
Interest received on taxes and deposits	131 87	180 75	180 75
Motor vehicle permit fees	430 98	545 32	545 32

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1949	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1949	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1950
From local taxes other than property taxes:			
(a) Poll taxes—Reg. @ $2	340 00	256 00	340 00
(b) National Bank stock taxes	2 00	2 00	2 00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	$1,784 41	$2,166 04	$2,111 67
*Amount to be riased by property taxes	14,889 18		
Plus overlay	202 84		
	$15,092 02		

*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

Purposes of Expenditures:	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1950
Current maintenance expenses:			
General government:			
Town officers' salaries	$650 00	$730 00	$730 00
Town officers' expenses	702 81	746 19	746 19
Election and registration expenses	25 00		100 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	200 00	517 09	200 00
Protection of persons and property:			
Police department	50 00	37 50	50 00
Fire department, including forest fires	1,000 00	2,095 21	1,000 00
Health:			
Health department, including hospitals	10 00		10 00
Vital statistics	10 00		10 00
Town dump and garbage removal		23 25	25 00
Highways and bridges:			
Town maintenance:			
Summer	2,000 00	1,869 52	2,000 00
Winter	1,500 00	801 35	2,000 00
Street lighting	540 00	585 00	585 00
General expenses of highway department	1,000 00	1,309 34	1,500 00
Town road aid	299 72	299 72	300 20
Libraries	160 00	94 36	100 00
Public welfare:			
Town poor	170 00	128 11	500 00
Old age assistance	559 81	763 73	763 73

	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1950
Patriotic purposes:			
Memorial day and Veterans' associations	75 00	75 00	75 00
Public service enterprises:			
Cemeteries	100 00	107 00	100 00
Unclassified:			
Damages and legal expenses, including dog damage	15 00		50 00
Advertising and Regional associations	32 00	32 00	33 00
Interest:			
On temporary loans	50 00	105 00	100 00
On long term notes	45 00	37 50	20 00
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:			
Highways and bridges:			
Town construction		609 60	
Water works construction	300 00		
New lands and buildings	100 00		
New equipment	1,000 00		
Indebtedness:			
Payment on principal of debt:			
(b) Long term notes		2,000 00	433 46
Payments to other governmental divisions:			
County taxes	843 25	843 25	850 00
School taxes	5,236 00	5,236 00	5,577 00
Total expenditures	$16,673 53	$19,045 73	$16,958 58

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

VALUATION

Land and buildings	$280,657 00
Growing wood and timber	33,185 00
electric plants	16,968 00
16 horses	1,150 00
1 ox	125 00
24 cows	3,350 00
3 neat stock	375 00
8 sheep and goats	75 00
40 fowls	10 00
1 portable mill	1,500 00
Wood and lumber	3,325 00
Gasoline pumps	960 00
Stock in trade	5,900 00
Mills and machinery	5,000 00
Total valuation	$352,580 00
Veterans' exemptions	20,230 00
Total valuation less veterans' exemptions	$332,350 00

TAXES ASSESSED

Town officers' salaries	$650 00
Town officers' expenses	702 81
Election and registration expenses	25 00
Expenses town hall and other buildings	200 00
Police department	50 00
Fire department	1,000 00
Health department	10 00
Vital statistics	10 00
Town road aid	299 72
Town maintenance	3,500 00
Street lighting	540 00
General expenses of highway dept.	1,000 00
New equipment	1,000 00

Library	160 00	
Old age assistance	559 81	
Town poor	170 00	
Memorial day	75 00	
Water and electric utilities	400 00	
Cemeteries	100 00	
Damage and legal expenses	15 00	
Monadnock Region Association	32 00	
Interest	95 00	
County tax	843 25	
School tax	5,236 00	
Total town and school appropriations		$16,673 59
Less estimated revenue and credits:		
Interest and dividend tax	$714 79	
Savings bank tax	72 36	
Reimbursement state land	74 62	
Motor vehicle permits	430 98	
Interest received on taxes	131 87	
Poll taxes	340 00	
National Bank stock tax	2 00	
Total revenue and credits		$1,784 41
Net amount to be raised by property taxes		14,889 18
Plus overlay		202 84
Property tax committed to collector		$15,092 02

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description:	
Town hall and other town buildings	$4,500 00
Furniture and equipment	300 00
Furniture and equipment of library	1,000 00
Fire department land and buildings	1,000 00
Fire department equipment	2,800 00
Highway department land and buildings	400 00
Highway department equipment	8,000 00
School land building equipment	3,000 00
Holland land	15 00
Miller land	25 00
	$21,040 00

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW
IN CHESHIRE COUNTY
For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1949

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify the information contained in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

DAN K. MOORE,
LEON H. DAVIS,
FRED G. HUNTLEY,
Selectmen.
LILLIAN M. ANDREWS,
Treasurer.

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	$4,142 03	
Due from state bounties	268 00	
Unredeemed taxes from tax sale on account of:		
Levy of 1948	752 64	
Levy of 1947	170 76	
Previous years	52 96	
Uncollected taxes:		
Levy of 1949	4,133 47	
Levy of 1948	4 00	
Total assets		$9,523 86

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:

Unexpended balance water hole appropriation	$155 60	
Balance of school district appropriation	2,236 00	
Keene National Bank, temporary loan	1,000 00	
Keene National Bank, temporary loan	2,000 00	
Keene National Bank, long term note	433 46	
Total liabilities	$5,825 06	
Excess of assets over liabilities	3,698 80	
Grand total		$9,523 86

RECEIPTS

Current revenue:

From local taxes:

Property taxes current year	$11,222 10	
Poll taxes current year	256 00	
National bank stock tax	2 00	
Total current year's taxes		$11,480 10
Property taxes previous years		4,226 10
Interest received on taxes		180 75
Tax sales redeemed		468 91

From state:

For Class V highway maintenance	670 40
Interest and dividend tax	736 58
Savings bank tax	81 39
Reimbursement state forest land	75 63
Fighting forest fires, including fire at school	502 91

From local sources except taxes:

Dog licenses	154 00
Fines and forfeits	124 37
Rent of town property	905 45
Registration of motor vehicles, 1948 permits	10 30
Registration of motor vehicles 1949 permits	535 02

Receipts other than current revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		8,000 00
New trust funds received		250 00
Sale of town property		40 00
Reimbursement, forest fire in Acworth		147 15
C. R. Andrews, toll calls		25 90
1 cemetery lot		10 00
Abatements		76 64
Total receipts from all sources		$28,701 60
Less no fund check		2 00
		$28,699 60
Cash on hand January 1, 1949		1,665 79
Grand total		$30,365 39

PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:		
General government:		
Town officers' salaries	$730 00	
Town officers' expenses	746 19	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	517 09	
		$1,993 28
Protection of persons and property:		
Police department	$37 50	
Fire department, including forest fires	2,095 21	
Bounties	166 50	
		2,299 21
Health:		
Town dump	$23 25	
		23 25

Highways and bridges:		
Town road aid, T.R.A.	$299 72	
Town maintenance	2,670 88	
Street lighting	585 00	
General expenses of highway dept.	1,309 34	
		4,864 94
Libraries:		
Libraries	$94 36	
		94 26
Public welfare:		
Old age assistance	$763 73	
Town poor	128 11	
		891 84
Patriotic purposes:		
Memorial day	$75 00	
		75 00
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries	$107 00	
		107 00
Unclassified:		
Labor for state and towns	$257 50	
Monadnock Region Association	32 00	
Taxes town of Washington	2 24	
Taxes bought by town	960 19	
Discounts, abatements and refunds	220 64	
		$1,472 57
Total current maintenance expenses		$11,821 45

Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans	$105 00	
Paid on long term notes	37 50	
		$142 50
Outlay for new construction equipment and permanent improvement:		
State aid construction gas tax	$670 40	
Town construction, Sand Pond road	609 60	
Water works construction	144 40	
Total outlay payments		1,424 40
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans	$5,000 00	
Payments on long term notes	2,000 00	
Payments to trustees of trust funds	250 00	
Total indebtedness payments		7,250 00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
Special poll taxes paid state	$9 00	
County tax	843 25	
School district 1949 appropriation	3,000 00	
School district balance, 1948 appropriation	1,732 76	
Total payments to governmental divisions		5,585 01
Total payments for all purposes		$26,223 36
Cash on hand December 31, 1949		4,142 03
Grand total		$30,365 39

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries:

Dan K. Moore, selectman	$125 00
Leon H. Davis, selectman	100 00

Fred G. Huntley, selectman	100 00	
Lillian M. Andrews, treasurer	60 00	
Mable D. Hatch, clerk	40 00	
Mable D. Hatch, librarian	60 00	
Irene L. Huntley, tax collector	20 00	
John K. Cooper, tax collector	62 50	
Harriett M. Perkins, tax collector	62 50	
Ralph R. Winham, supervisor check list	25 00	
Ralph R. Winham, supervisor check list	25 00	
Alta P. Whippie, supervisor check list	25 00	
Roxie A. Forbes, auditor	25 00	
		$730 00

Town officers' expenses:

Dan K. Moore, recording deeds	$3 50	
Chase's, envelopes and printing	6 00	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	6 70	
Public Service Co., lights	4 80	
Fred G. Huntley, typing reports	10 00	
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	4 72	
Chase's, tax sales tax book	6 60	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	3 65	
Leon H. Davis, moderator attending tax meeting	12 00	
Dan K. Moore, tax meeting	7 00	
Fred G. Huntley, tax meeting and mileage	11 50	
Mason Ins. Agency, town officers' bonds	20 00	
New England. Tel. & Tel., town telephone	7 20	
Mable D. Hatch, writing auto permits	49 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., town reports	233 74	
Mason Ins. Co., tax collector's bond	10 50	
Esther G. Bennett, list of probate estate	10	
Bernice McWilliams, list of probate estate	10	
Mason Ins. Agency, insurance	5 00	
Winfield M. Chaplin, transfer cards	14 20	
Dan K. Moore, mileage, postage	6 00	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	5 20	

Association of N. H. Assessors, assessors dues	2 00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, binder	4 50	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	4 80	
Chase's, envelopes, dog notices	3 15	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	3 45	
Ida M. Homes, tax collector's Ass'n. dues	2 00	
Chase's, tax notices, collector's book	8 36	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	6 35	
Lillian M. Andrews, postage	4 41	
Mason Ins. Agency, bond	5 00	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	6 55	
Dan K. Moore, recording deed	1 28	
Winfield M. Chaplin, mortgage list	11 00	
Sargent Bros., printing tax bills	12 50	
Chase's, tax book payment sheets	5 95	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	5 40	
New England Tel. & Tel., town telephone	6 20	
Chase's, tax book	4 75	
John K. Cooper, tax collector's expenses	128 31	
Dan K. Moore, tax call	1 25	
New England Tel. & Tel., telephone service	2 75	
Lillian M. Andrews, postage	2 13	
New England Tel. & Tel., telephone service	4 45	
Mable D. Hatch, town clerk's expenses	64 35	
Chase's receipt book voucher blanks	17 79	
		$746 19

Town hall and other town buildings:

Public Service Co., lights	$2 40	
Mutual Studios, fireproofing scenery, Jones hall	78 00	
Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance	55 17	
Richard Davis, janitor service	10 00	
Samuel Feuer, wood	60 00	
Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance on town barn	7 05	
Public Service Co., lights	2 40	
Public Service Co., lights	2 40	
Richard Blair, changing meters	104 08	

Richard Davis, janitor service	20 00	
Public Service Co., lights	3 09	
Public Service Co., lights, town buildings	1 31	
Dan K. Moore, light bulbs	1 65	
Public Service Co., lights	3 97	
Richard Davis, janitor service	15 00	
Public Service Co., lights	1 48	
Richard Davis, labor on wood	4 80	
Charles M. Howard, sawing and trucking wood	17 00	
Dan K. Moore, labor on wood	6 00	
George N. Sanders, labor on wood	2 00	
Richard Davis, janitor service	15 00	
Public Service Co., lights	4 99	
		$417 79

Fire department:

Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., fuel oil	$5 39	
Public Service Co., lights	1 00	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., fuel oil	13 84	
Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance on truck	7 00	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	4 12	
Public Service Co., lights	2 00	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., fuel oil	21 32	
Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance	38 73	
C. R. Andrews, fire wardens meeting	64 59	
Marlow Motors, fluid for gas tank	1 50	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	2 04	
Stanley Sawyer, stove for firehouse	20 00	
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance	80 00	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	3 70	
Public Service Co., lights	1 12	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., fuel oil	22 69	
Farrar Co., packing for pumps	2 00	
Fred B. Corey, greenhouse fire	5 25	
Fred B. Corey, Moorey fire	7 50	
James A. Coffin, gas masks hose connection	56 50	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	1 35	

Public Service Co., lights	1 00	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., fuel oil	9 86	
C. R. Andrews, forest fire	10 15	
C. R. Andrews, Acworth fire	147 55	
James A. Coffin, parts and labor on fire pump	45 00	
Lynn Tire Co., inspection, dimmer switch	2 00	
Richard Blair, changing siren	32 40	
C. R. Andrews, Huntley Mt. fire	677 96	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	2 56	
C. R. Andrews, Huntley Mt. fire	40 50	
Treasurer, town of Lempster, Huntley Mt. fire	213 90	
Farrar Co., repairs on pumps	90 50	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	5 19	
Aubrey G. Robinson, fireman's insurance	20 00	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	1 56	
Charles Strickland, fuel pump, spark plugs	10 50	
James A. Coffin, forest fire pump and hose	302 00	
Irving L. Sawyer, janitor service	25 00	
Marlow Garage, zerone	6 00	
Marlow Garage, battery	25 80	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	3 82	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., fuel oil	8 95	
Marlow Garage, tire chains	51 37	
		$2,095 21
Police department:		
C. R. Andrews, services	$15 00	
C. R. Andrews, services	22 50	
		$37 50
General expense of highway dept.:		
Gulf Oil Corp., fuel oil	$41 70	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	42 95	

Marlow Motors, truck, tractor parts, labor	29 95
State of N. H., gas tax	60
R. C. Haselton Co., plow blades bolts	62 50
R. C. Haselton Co., hydraulic controls	135 00
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	21 59
Perkins, Bassett & Wright, bolts	1 00
Marlow Motors, zerone and labor	5 75
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance	66 80
State of N. H., gas tax	60
Marlow Motors, welding plates on tractor	24 50
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	27 59
Ray Road Equipment, shovels	17 28
Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance tractor	22 50
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	39 51
Charles R. Andrews, iron	3 00
J. F. Perkins, forks	8 00
George N. Sanders, inspection	1 25
Phil's Repair Service, grinding valves on truck	23 95
Morrell's service Station, gas and oil	42 31
George N. Sanders, gas	2 71
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	31 97
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, scythes and snathes	8 76
Fred G. Huntley, rake teeth	38 00
Knowlton & Stone, bolts washers	1 24
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	18 88
Phils Repair Service, repairs on cable	8 30
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	44 55
Phils Repair Service, labor on truck	4 15
Charles Strickland, labor and truck fire	102 70
Union Steel Co., plow blades	56 15
Phils Repair Service, greasing truck	1 25
Markham Lumber Co., planks	34 99
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	35 58
Sibley Oil Co., fuel for tractor	26 20
Baums Castorine Co., oil	27 30
Marlow Garage, lights, welding growsers	42 10

Marlow Garage, zerone	6 00	
Fitch Motor Co., shackles	4 00	
Fred G. Huntley, chains, zerex	50 50	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	38 72	
Marlow Garage, labor recapping tires	48 80	
Caseline-Venable Corp., fittings	3 08	
Marlow Garage, labor and grease	17 96	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	12 52	
George N. Sanders, window glass	1 56	
Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil	16 79	
Marlow Garage, welding	6 25	
		$1,309 34
Bounties:		
Dan K. Moore	$166 50	
		$166 50
Town maintenance and snow removal:		
Summer work	$1,869 53	
Winter work	801 35	
		$2,670 88
Labor for state and towns:		
George N. Sanders	$257 50	
George N. Sanders, gas tax money	670 40	
George N. Sanders, Agent. (See report).		
State of New Hampshire, (T. R. A.)	$299 72	
		$299 72
Street lighting:		
Public Service Co.	$585 00	
		$585 00
Library:		
Insurance	$19 36	
Trustees	75 00	
		$94 36

Public welfare:		
State of New Hampshire, old age assistance	$763 73	
		$763 73
Town poor:		
Dan K. Moore, groceries, R. Capen	$86 52	
Amy E. Moore, groceries, R. Capen	12 54	
Amy E. Moore, groceries, tramps	1 05	
Ralph R. Winham, taking R. Capen to State hospital	23 00	
William Tatem, M. D., commiting R. Capen to State hospital	5 00	
		$128 11
Memorial day:		
American Legion	$75 00	
		$75 00
Cemeteries:		
Ivan Huntley, care cemeteries	$100 00	
Charles Fletcher, moving body	7 00	
		$107 00
Tramp house:		
Dan K. Moore, labor and material	$75 30	
George N. Sanders, labor	6 00	
Erwin Cushing, labor	10 00	
Stanley Sanders, labor	8 00	
		$99 30
Interest:		
Keene National Bank, temporary loans	$105 00	
Keene National Bank, long term note	37 50	
		$142 50

Sand pond road:		
State of New Hampshire, culverts	$126 60	
Arthur Whitcomb, bulldozer	423 00	
Dan K. Moore, labor	60 00	
		$609 60
Unclassified:		
State of N. H., special poll tax	$9 00	
Monadnock Region Association, dues	32 00	
William Johnson, town dump	23 25	
John K. Cooper, abatements	99 64	
William Taylor, refund, 1942-1949 taxes	112 00	
Harold Leight, refund, 1948 tax	9 00	
Norman Fletcher, Washington tax	2 24	
John K. Cooper, taxes bought by town	960 19	
		$1,247 32
Trustees of trust funds:		
Buswell lot	$200 00	
The Old Band Trust Fund	50 00	
		$250 00
Water hole:		
Arthur Whitcomb, bulldozer	$36 00	
Dan K. Moore, glass, labor for damages	11 68	
George Howard, labor	14 00	
Hedges & Mathewes, pump	6 00	
Markham Lumber Co., lumber	40 98	
A. R. Hodgkins, shover	35 74	
		$144 40
School district:		
Martha L. Strickland, 1948 dog tax	$97 00	
Martha L. Strickland, bal. 1948 approp.	1,635 76	
Martha L. Strickland, part 1949 approp.	3,000 00	
		$4,732 76

Cheshire County tax	$843 25	
		$843 25
Payments on notes:		
Keene National Bank, temp. loans	$5,000 00	
Keene National Bank, long term notes	2,000 00	
		$7,000 00
Total payments for all purposes	$26,223 36	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1949	4,142 03	
		$30,365 39

Respectfully submitted,
DAN K. MOORE,
LEON H. DAVIS,
FRED G. HUNTLEY,
Selectmen of Marlow.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949	$1,665 79
Receipts from John K. Cooper, tax collector:	
Property taxes and interest	7,750 62
Redemptions	413 16
Irene L. Huntley, dep. collector	410 87
Harriet M. Perkins, dep. collector	7,913 26
Redemptions	61 46
Receipts from Mabel D. Hatch:	
Dog licenses	154 00
Auto permits	545 32
Receipts from George N. Sanders, road agent:	
Outside work done by town truck	805 55
Outside work done by town tractor	6 00
Town of Acworth for town truck	55 80
Arthur Whitcomb, use of town truck	3 10
Treasurer State of N. H.:	
Class V highways	670 40
Loss of taxes on public land	75 63
Saving Bank tax	81 39
Interest and dividend tax	736 58
Reimbursement on forest fires	470 61
Reimbursement on forest fire training session	32 30
Reimbursement, town of Acworth for forest fire	147 15
Keene National Bank:	
Temporary loans	8,000 00
Rebate on interest	7 50

Dan K. Moore:		
Sale of land	40 00	
Rent of Jones hall	10 00	
Use of town tractor	25 00	
Trust funds:		
Little & Buswell, (cemetery)	200 00	
Marlow Comet Band, library fund	50 00	
Ivan F. Huntley, cemetery lot	10 00	
C. R. Andrews, toll calls	25 90	
		$30,367 39
Check returned from bank on poll tax		2 00
		$30,365 39
Paid out on selectmen's orders		26,223 36
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1950		$4,142 03

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN M. ANDREWS,

Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK IN ACCOUNT WITH DOG LICENSES

Dogs reported by selectmen	76	
Males licensed	51	
Females licensed	8	
Kennel	1	
Killed or removed	9	
51 males licensed @ $2.00	$102 00	
8 females licensed @ $5.00	40 00	
1 kennel license	12 00	
		$154 00
Less clerk fees		12 00
Balance paid to treasurer		$142 00

TOWN CLERK IN ACCOUNT WITH MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

Number permits registered, 1949	148	
Cash received for permits, 1949	$535 02	
Cash received for permits, 1948	10 30	
Cash paid to treasurer		$545 32

MABEL D. HATCH,
Town Clerk.

List unlicensed dogs, 1949:

Frank Elliott, 3 males, 1 female.
Vona Champney, 1 female.
Joshua Feuer, 1 male
Linwood George, 2 males.
Warren Mooney, 1 female.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

SUMMER WORK

George N. Sanders, agent	$802 50
Stanley Sanders, hand	194 40
Chester Davis, hand	144 80
John Gendron, hand	224 00
Gordon Davis, hand	43 20
Theadore Lusby, hand	10 40
Dan K. Moore, hand	12 40
Samuel Feuer, team	44 00
Charles Howard, truck and tractor	59 00
C. E. Hatch, truck	12 40
R. Batchelder, truck	14 80
R. Trask, truck	6 20
A. R. Hodgkins, shovel	16 25
H. Lawrence, truck	6 20
Town of Alstead, truck and grader	62 40
Phil LaFland, gravel	68 00
Charles LaFrank, plank	70 18
F. Markham, plank	34 99
State of N. H., culverts	43 40
	$1,869 52

Gas tax money:

George Sander, agent	$10 00
Charles Strickland, hand	24 00
Ronald Gorges, hand	14 40
Ernest Ball, truck	67 50
R. Batchelder, truck	51 80
Harold Grant, truck	83 70
C. E. Hatch, truck	55 80
Charles Howard, truck	83 70
R. Trask, truck	66 60

A. R. Hodgkins, shovel	117 00
William Johnson, truck	27 90
Phil LaFland, gravel	68 00
	$670 40

Labor paid for state and towns:

George Sanders, driver	$248 50
Chester Davis, driver	9 00
	$257 50

Paid town treasurer:

For use of tractor	$6 00
For use of truck	805 55
For use of truck, town of Acworth	55 80
For use of truck, Arthur Whitcomb	3 10
	$870 45

Winter work:

George N. Sanders, agent	$424 50
Stanley Sanders, hand	208 45
E. W. Cushing, hand	116 00
Chester Davis, hand	40 00
John Gendron, hand	6 40
Charles Howard, tractor	6 00
	$801 35

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE N. SANDERS,
Road Agent.

REPORT OF DEPUTY TAX COLLECTOR

From January 12, 1949 to March 8, 1949

LEVY OF 1948

DR.

Uncollected taxes:		
Property taxes	$4,135 18	
Poll taxes, regular; 37 @ $2.00	74 00	
Added taxes:		
Property taxes	19 25	
Interest collected	3 12	
		$4,231 55

CR.

Remittances to treasurer:		
Property taxes	$389 75	
Poll taxes, regular; 9 @ $2.00	18 00	
Interest collected	3 12	
Uncollected taxes as per list:		
Property taxes	3,764 68	
Poll taxes, regular; 28 @ $2.00	56 00	
Total credits		$4,231 55
Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 12, 1949:		
Levy of 1947, property taxes		$5 78
Levy of 1946, property taxes	$7 57	
Poll taxes; Regular, 2 @ $2.00	4 00	
Total		$11 57

Levy of 1945, property taxes	$6 35	
Poll taxes, regular, 3 @ $2.00	6 00	
Poll taxes, special, 3 @ $3.00	9 00	
Total		$21 35

Unredeemed taxes from tax sales:

On account of levies of		
1947	$214 29	
1946	251 70	
Total		$465 99

March 8, 1949.

The uncollected taxes for the levies of 1947, 1946 and 1945 and unredeemed taxes from tax sales on account of levies of 1946 and 1947 remain unchanged.

Respectfully submitted,
IRENE L. HUNTLEY,
Deputy Tax Collector.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., DECEMBER 31, 1949

CREATED	FUND	DONOR	PURPOSE	WHERE INVESTED	Principal	Balance Income From 1948	Income 1949	Expended 1949	Balance Income on Hand
12/28/37	William Abbott	Abbott Heirs	Care Cemetery Lot	Cheshire Co. Savings Bank	$100.00	$4.39	$2.61	$2.86	$4.14
7/ 3/28	W. H. Angleton	Estate W. H. Angleton	" " "	" " " "	100.00	9.72	2.75	3.01	9.46
7/13/36	Baker-Hatch	Olive H. Baker	Care Baker-Hatch Lot	" " " "	100.00	4.13	2.61	2.86	3.88
2/24/17	Mary L. Bingham	Same	Care Cemetery Lot	" " " "	300.00	51.33	8.83	9.83	50.83
4/ 3/22	Sarah A. Burnap	"	" " "	" " " "	250.00	39.53	7.27	8.27	38.63
2/24/17	Julia A. Buss	"	" " "	" " " "	100.00	5.67	2.64	2.90	5.41
7/22/49	Clarence L. Buswell	Grace B. Little & Tressie L. Newcomb	" " "	Keene " "	200.00		.83		.83
10/ 1/42	William H. Campbell	Estate W. H. Campbell	" " "	" " "	100.00	3.29	2.33	2.58	3.04
10/28/39	Geo. W. Clyde	Same	" " "	" " "	200.00	6.13	4.66	5.66	5.13
5/21/38	Adella Lewis Cook	"	Care Dudley Lewis Lot	" " "	100.00	4.20	2.35	2.60	3.95
9/27/42	Arthur M. Davis	"	Care Isaiah Davis Lot	" " "	100.00	1.99	2.30	2.55	1.74
4/ 5/26	Downing Cemetery Fund	Mary L. Downing	Care Cemetery Lot	Cheshire Co. " "	185.00	10.04	4.90	5.90	9.04
7/20/37	H. D. Dunn	Same	" " "	" " " "	500.00	23.86	13.17	15.17	21.86
7/ 5/38	Chas. M. Elliott	"	" " "	Keene " "	100.00	4.47	2.35	2.60	4.22
4/ 6/46	Lucius P. Farley	F. B. Farley	" " "	" " "	150.00	3.21	3.46	3.71	2.96
3/ 2/45	Farley-Brackett	R. Brackett & F. B. Farley	" " "	" " "	150.00	4.67	3.49	3.74	4.42
10/28/43	Edgar Farnum	Henry Farnum	" " "	" " "	100.00	2.30	2.31	2.56	2.05
11/21/00	Jacob Foster	Same	" " "	Cheshire Co. " "	50.00	2.45	1.31	1.31	2.45
1/ 2/31	Perley E. Fox	"	" " "	" " "	101.53	6.45	2.70	2.96	6.19
4/ 8/39	Charlotte B. French	"	" " "	Keene " "	100.00	4.16	2.35	2.50	3.91
6/10/37	Edith C. Gee	"	" " "	Cheshire Co. Savings Bank	300.00	14.70	7.91	8.91	13.70
2/23/27	Maria A. Giffin	"	" " "	" " " "	500.00	29.78	13.31	15.31	27.78
12/ 9/32	C. B. Howard	"	Support of Library	" " " "	1,305.96		32.84	32.84	
12/14/31	Clarence B. Howard	Estate C. B. Howard	Care Cemetery Lot	" " " "	100.00	4.55	2.61	2.87	4.29
11/ 1/07	J. M. Howard	Same	" " "	Keene " "	200.00	43.69	5.51	6.51	42.69
4/15/38	Leora Howard	"	Care Pitcher Lot	" " "	200.00	9.05	4.73	5.73	8.05
2/23/27	Mary E. Howe	"	Care Cemetery Lot	Cheshire Co. " "	125.00	12.51	3.45	3.71	12.25
7/10/40	Orison C. Huntley	Estate O. C. Huntley	" " "	Keene " "	100.00	3.76	2.33	2.58	3.51
12/12/42	Franklin & Manley Jones	Ellen Jones	" " "	" " " "	100.00	2.58	2.31	2.56	2.33
6/28/34	Sarah I. Jones	Same	Care M. F. Jones, G. D. Morrison Lots	Cheshire Co. " "	200.00	8.59	5.24	6.24	7.59

3/10/27	Stephen C. Joslin	Ellen A. Joslin	Care Cemetery Lot	" " " "	100.00	5.44	2.64	2.90	5.18
1/ 5/39	Melberne E. Knight	Same	Care Benjamin Knight, Ira Knight Lots	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	7.93	4.70	5.70	6.93
4/22/42	Christopher Lewis	Alice Lewis Farley	Care Cemetery Lot	Cheshire Co. Savings Bank	50.00	1.95	1.29	1.29	1.96
4/22/42	Clarence A. Lewis	Alice Lewis Farley	" "	" " " "	50.00	3.50	1.34	1.34	3.50
3/ 2/45	Wm. & Mary Lewis	Est. Fred A. Lewis	Care of Lots of William & Mary and Fred, Zilla & Eldora Lewis	Keene " "	300.00	9.99	7.00	8.00	8.99
5/22/37	Sarah J. Lowell	Same	Care Cemetery Lot	Cheshire Co. " "	100.00	3.91	2.60	2.85	3.66
1/11/34	Mary R. Lowell-Judd	"	Care Lowell Lot	" " " "	300.00	23.15	8.13	9.13	22.15
3/29/43	Elbridge Phelps	A. W. & Sara E. Phelps	Care Cemetery Lot	Keene " "	100.00	2.78	2.31	2.56	2.53
9/27/43	George S. Phelps	Frank B. & Mary Gilman	" " "	" " "	100.00	1.99	2.30	2.55	1.74
4/ 1/27	Julius Pletzner	Lucey Pletzner Daley	" " "	Cheshire Co. " "	100.00	9.89	2.75	3.01	9.63
3/14/45	Priest & Carpenter	Evelyn S. Carpenter	Care O. F. Carpenter Lot	Keene " "	100.00	4.87	2.35	2.60	4.62
10/ 1/23	Geo. E. Reed	Same	Care Cemetery Lot	Cheshire Co. " "	200.00	34.98	5.89	6.89	33.98
10/30/37	Joseph Reed	"	" " "	" " " "	100.00	4.38	2.61	2.86	4.13
11/15/27	S. P. Richardson	"	" " "	" " " "	100.00	6.69	2.68	2.94	6.43
8/21/45	Robb-Petts	Dr. W. M. Robb	" " "	Keene " "	150.00	5.71	3.51	3.76	5.46
12/30/33	Della A. Russell	Estate D. A. Russell	Care Stone Lot	Cheshire Co. " "	100.00	4.21	2.64	2.90	3.95
7/ 1/44	Hiram F. Russell	Same	Care Cemetery Lot	Keene " "	100.00	2.62	2.31	2.56	2.37
3/24/44	Sabin Fund	Mrs. M. H. Green	" " "	" " "	100.00	3.30	2.33	2.58	3.05
12/14/35	Mary E. Sargent	Same	Care Calvin Wilson Lot	Cheshire Co. " "	136.18	6.75	3.58	3.84	6.49
2/23/27	E. D. Shepardson	"	Care Cemetery Lot	" " " "	150.00	12.77	4.08	5.08	11.77
4/22/42	H. E. Spaulding	Estate H. E. Spaulding	" " "	" " " "	100.00	3.50	2.59	2.84	3.25
10/29/41	May L. Sperling	Same	Care Herman Farnum Lot	Keene " "	100.00	3.65	2.33	2.58	3.40
2/ 9/34	Town School Fund	Sale of School Lots	School Maintenance	Cheshire Co. " "	1,005.25		25.27	25.27	
2/16/31	H. F. Towne	Same	Care Cemetery Lot	" " " "	200.00	15.36	5.42	6.42	14.36
2/ 6/30	Hosea Towne	Est. H. Towne	" " "	Keene " "	50.00	9.96	1.34	1.34	9.96
2/23/27	Washburn-Booth	D. R. Washburn	" " "	Cheshire Co. " "	100.00	7.47	2.69	2.95	7.21
3/18/41	Washburn-Wilder	N. J. Washburn-Wilder	Care E. Washburn Lot	Keene " "	500.00	18.47	11.72	13.72	16.47
2/ 9/34	Asa Way	Same	School Maintenance	Cheshire Co. " "	447.50		10.17	10.17	
7/ 3/44	Fred P. Whittemore	"	" "	" " " "	1,605.16		40.37	40.37	
12/13/41	Fred P. Whittemore	"	Care Whittemore Simonds, Richardson Cemetery Lot	" " " "	300.00	12.92	7.85	8.85	11.92
9/23/32	Chas. H. Williams	"	Care Cemetery Lot	" " " "	100.00	4.48	2.61	2.87	4.22

CALEB W. CAMERON.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TOWN LIBRARY

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1948	$149 93
Interest on B. C. Howard fund	32 84
Town appropriations	75 00
Fines	5 88
	$263 65

EXPENDITURES

Books purchased	$121 74
Books have been given to the library by Mrs. Grace Sanders, Mrs. Edith Miller, and Mr. Harry Shurtluff. A gift of $5.00 was given as a memorial to Mrs. Mary Gilman. Books were purchased with this gift.	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1949	$141 91

Respectfully submitted,
LILLIAN M. WINHAM,
For Trustee.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

REPORT OF JOHN K. COOPER, COLLECTOR

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
LEVY OF 1949

—DR—

Taxes committed to collector:		
Property taxes	$15,092 02	
Poll taxes, 170 @ $2.00	340 00	
Bank stock tax	2 00	
Total warrant	$15,434 02	
Added taxes:		
Property taxes	217 74	
Poll taxes, 3 @ $2.00	6 00	
Total debits		$15,657 76

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:		
Property taxes	$3,371 21	
Poll taxes, 95 @ $2.00	190 00	
Bank stock tax	2 00	
Discount allowed	9	
Abatements made:		
Property taxes	45 60	
Poll taxes, 2 @ $2.00	4 00	
Uncollected taxes as per collectors list:		
Property taxes	11,892 36	
Poll taxes, 76 @ $2.00	152 00	
Total credits		$15,657 26

LEVY OF 1948

—DR—

Uncollected taxes, Jan. 1, 1949:		
Property taxes	$4,135 18	
Poll taxes, 37 @ $2.00	74 00	
Interest collected	167 76	
Interest collected by deputy	3 12	
Added taxes:		
Property taxes	19 25	
Total debits		$4,399 31

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:		
Ending October 4, 1949:		
Property taxes	$3,747 35	
Property taxes by deputy	389 75	
Poll taxes, 26 @ $2.00	52 00	
Poll taxes, by deputy, 9 @ $2.00	18 00	
Interest collected	167 76	
Interest collected by deputy	3 12	
Abatements allowed	5 63	
Two deeds to town	11 70	
	$4,395 31	
Uncollected taxes ending October 4, 1949:		
Poll taxes, 2 @ $2.00	4 00	
Total credits		$4,399 31

LEVY OF 1947

—DR—

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1949:		
Property	$5 78	
Total debits		$5, 78

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer, ending
October 4, 1949:

Abatements allowed:

Property	$5 78	
Total credits		$5 78

LEVY OF 1946

—DR—

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1949:

Property taxes	$7 57	
Poll taxes, 2 @ $2.00	4 00	
Total debits		$11 57

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer, ending
October 4, 1949:

Abatements allowed:

Property taxes	$7 57	
Poll taxes, 2 @ $2.00	4 00	
Total credits		$11 57

LEVY OF 1945

—DR—

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1949:

Property taxes	$6 35	
Poll taxes, 3 @ $2.00	6 00	
Poll taxes, 3 @ $3.00	9 00	
Total debits		$21 35

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer, ending
October 4, 1949:

Abatements allowed:

Property taxes	$6 35	
Poll taxes, 3 @ $2.00	6 00	

Poll taxes, 3 @ $3.00	9 00	
Total credits		$21 35

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN K. COOPER,
Tax Collector.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
LEVY OF 1949

—DR—

Taxes committed to collector:		
Property taxes	$11,892 36	
Polls, 76 @ $2.00	152 00	
Added taxes:		
Interest collected	2 37	
Total debits		$12,046 73

—CR—

Remittances to treasurer:		
Property taxes	$7,850 89	
Poll taxes, 30 @ $2.00	60 00	
Interest collected	2 37	
Uncollected taxes as per collector's report:		
Property taxes	4,041 47	
Poll taxes, 46 @ $2.00	92 00	
		$12,046 73

January 9, 1949.

LEVY OF 1948

—DR—

Uncollected taxes as of Oct. 5, 1949:		
Poll taxes, 2 @ $2.00	$4 00	
Total debits		$4 00

—CR—

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:		
Poll taxes, 2 @ $2.00	$4 00	
Total credits		$4 00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1949

—DR—

	Tax sales on account of levy of:		
	1948	1947	1946
Balance of unredeemed taxes as of October 5, 1949	$752 64	$170 76	$114 58
Interest collected			8 25
Redemption costs			25
Total debits	$752 64	$170 76	$123 08

—CR—

Remitted to treasurer ending December 31, 1949			$61 46
Unredeemed taxes as of December 31, 1949	$752 64	$170 76	$61 62
Total credits	$752 64	$170 76	$123 08

Respectfully submitted,
HARRIET M. PERKINS,
Tax Collector.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have audited the books of the Town of Marlow for the year ending Dec. 31, 1949 and have found them correct to the best of my knowledge.

ROXIE A. FORBES,
Auditor.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

NELDA GORGES, Chairman IVAN HUNTLEY

JAMES L. FRANCISCUS

Clerk

ALTA WHIPPIE

Treasurer

MARTHA L. STRICKLAND

Auditor

ROXIE FORBES

Superintendent

THERON B. THOMPSON, Walpole

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

PROPOSED SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the school district in the Town of Marlow qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Jones Hall, in said district on the 14th of March, 1950, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officer or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or other officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose agents, auditors, committees, or other officers in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to borrow money not to exceed $600.00 to add to the present water fund so that this project may be completed as soon as possible.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Financial Statement of School Board for School Year Ending June 30, 1949

RECEIPTS

State aid	$3,867 25	
Local taxation	4,522 00	
Dog licenses	113 76	
Income from trust funds	61 44	
Dog licenses (1946)	97 00	
Total receipts from all sources		$8,661 45
Cash on hand as of July 1, 1948		1,051 69
Grand total		$9,713 14

PAYMENTS

Administration:	
Salaries of district officers	$125 00
Superintendent's salary	180 00
Tax for state wide supervision	142 00
Other administrative personnel	45 00
Supplies and expenses	65 12
Instruction:	
Teachers' salaries	4,120 90
Text books	70 99
Scholar supplies	129 89
Supplies and other expenses	16 38
Operation of school plant:	
Janitor's salary	600 00
Fuel	207 50
Water, light, etc.	183 36
Repairs and replacements	65 67

Auxiliary activities		
Health supervision	154 04	
Transportation	1,168 00	
Tuition	1,800 00	
Fixed charges:		
Retirement	9 00	
Insurance	42 75	
Total payments for all purposes		$9,125 60
Total cash on hand June 30, 1949		587 54
Grand total		$9,713 14

BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1948

ASSETS

Cash on hand	$587 54
Total assets	$587 54
Net debt	135 46
Grand total	$723 00

LIABILITIES

Water appropriation	$723 00
Total liabilities	723 00
Grand total	$723 00

NELDA GORGES,
IVAN HUNTLEY,
JAMES L. FRANCISCUS,
School Board.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1950-51

	Current Budget 1949-50	Proposed Budget 1950-51
Support of schools:		
Teachers' salaries	$4,350 00	$4,350 00
Text books	75 00	75 00
Scholars' supplies	150 00	150 00
Other expenses of instruction	20 00	20 00
Janitor service	570 00	570 00
Fuel	225 00	225 00
Water, light, etc.	175 00	175 00
Minor repairs	275 00	275 00
Health supervision	175 00	150 00
Transportation	1,500 00	1,800 00
Special activities, etc.	10 00	10 00
	$7,525 00	$7,800 00
Other statutory requirements:		
Salaries of district officers	$125 00	$125 00
Superintendent's salary	216 00	144 85
Per capita tax	132 00	150 00
High school tuition	2,175 00	2,175 00
Other obligations	265 00	314 96
	$2,913 00	$2,909 81
Total budget	$10,438 00	$10,709 81
Estimate of income:		
Balance June 30th	$0 00	$300 00
State aid	3,800 00*	5,202 36
Trust funds	75 00	75 00
	$3,875 00	$5,577 36
To be raised by taxation	$6,563 00*	$5,132 45

*Action of legislature in reducing the amount of state equalization money and applying old formula increased our state aid to $5,202.36, and reduced the amount to be assessed by taxation to $5,202.00.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF MARLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT

From July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949

Cash on hand June 30, 1948		$1,051 69
Received from selectmen:		
Current appropriation	$4,522 00	
Dog tax	113 76	
All other sources:		
Income from trust funds	61 44	
From state treasurer	3,867 25	
Dog licenses (1946)	97 00	
		8,661 45
Total amount available for fiscal year		$9,713 14
Less school board orders paid		9,125 60
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1949		$587 54

MARTHA L. STRICKLAND,
District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Marlow, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and find them correct in all respects.

ROXIE FORBES,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Marlow:

I herewith present my fifth annual report as superintendent of your school.

There are two major needs of your school plant that are desirable to improve its appearance, and have it conform to state board of health regulations. For a number of years we have been studying the problem of putting water in the school. Each plant that has been studied has proven to be unsatisfactory, either because of excessive cost or because the source of water was found to be polluted. Your school board is now recommending that the district borrow enough more money to add to the present amount, $723.00, to do a satisfactory job as soon as possible. By borrowing the money and paying it back over a period of three years the cost does not become too great a burden in any one year.

The outside of the building needs painting. In a number of school districts the people have gotten together on a painting bee, had fun, improved their property, and saved themselves some money. The school board has funds available to purchase the paint.

The PTA is becoming a source of benefit to the school. Their latest project is to sponsor a milk program in the school so that every child wanting it may have a bottle with his lunch. This is a federally-aided project, with the government paying part, the P.T.A. paying part, and the child paying part. The P.T.A. is also donating two rubber door mats, and gave candy and gifts to the children at Christmas. These activities are much appreciated by the pupils and teachers.

You will note that the amount of money to be raised this year is about the same as last. A few increases have been

necessary in some items, but these have been kept as small as possible without impairing the efficiency of the school. We operate on a marginal budget, as can be seen from past reports, so that changes are only minor. High school tuition costs are rising rapidly. The last session of legislature made it possible for a district to charge the full cost of operating a school rather than just the cost of instruction. This accounts for some large increases in certain schools.

Our enrollment continues to drop off, somewhat.

ENROLLMENT JANUARY 1, 1950

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
	3	7	8	3	11	3	6	4	45

HEALTH REPORT

Health inspection of pupils showed the following defects:

45 pupils were inspected.
28 pupils were in need of dental care.
2 pupils were advised to have throat and nose examination by a physician.
1 pupil had sufficient wax in ears to obstruct the canal.
4 pupils had their teeth cared for.
1 pupil had tonsil and adenoid operation.

All pupils were given sight and hearing tests with the Massachusetts Vision Test and Maico Audiometer, no defects were found.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF 1948-1949

Total registration	58
Average membership	49.38
Percentage of attendance	90.68
Cases of tardiness	39
Visits by superintendent	28
Visits by school board members	2
Visits by citizens and others	298
Number of pupils not absent or tardy	0
Half-days schools were in session	346

I wish to thank the members of the school board, teachers, parents and friends for their continued cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted,
THERON B. THOMPSON,
Superintendent of Schools.

VITAL STATISTICS

At the request of the Selectmen, there is submitted herewith a transcript of the births, marriages and deaths as recorded in the Office of the Town Clerk for the year ending December 31, 1949.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1949

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition. Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
1949											
Jan. 23	Mark Ivan	M	L	2	Charles B. Strickland	Frances R. Perham	Service Station	Massachusetts	New Hampshire	22	24
Feb. 15	John Charles	M	L	3	James L. Franciscus	Ernestine R. Van Wis	Farmer	Pennsylvania	Michigan	41	38
Mar. 29	Roberta Marie	F	L	1	Robert F. Rhoades	Marguerite A. Mosher	Miner	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	23	20
Apr. 11	Harold William	M	S	2	Bernard G. Page	Ethel M. Simpson	Laborer	New Hampshire	Maine	28	17
July 5	John Dewey, 3d	M	L	2	John W. Perkins	Pearl G. Willis	Lumberman	Unity	Phillipston, Ms.	26	23
" 28	Sally Ann	F	L	1	George N. Sanders	Vernabelle F. Winham	Road Agent	Washington, D. C.	Marlow	34	34
Oct. 6	Mary Margart	F	L	4	Leland A. Perry	Mary F. Gray	Laborer	Marlow	Proctor, Vt.	33	28

Marriages Registered in the Town of Marlow, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1949

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
1949		William R. Jackson	Marlow	20	Lumberman	Winchester	Evelyn N. Jackson	Winchester	1st	Rv T B Hadley
Nov. 19	Gilsum	Nancy M. Pollard	Marlow	16	At home	Marlow	Fred'k C. Pollard Amy E. Winham	Lempster Marlow	1st	Gilsum

*What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Marlow, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1949

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	S., M., W.*	Father.	Mother.		
1949											
Feb. 4	Louis E. Thompson	78	7	5	Goshen	M	W	Unknown		Wm. W. Thompson	Carolin M. Gould
" 15	Herman A. Elliott	78		10	Marlow	M	M	Unknown		Charles Elliott	Anna J. Royce
Nov. 12	Harold L. Young	69			Washington	M	M	Unknown		Everett Young	Nora Butterfield
Dec. 4	Augusta L. Sawyer	75			Plymouth, Me.	F	M	Maine		Ruel W. Crawford	Nancy Berry
" 17	John D. Perkins, 3rd.		5	12	Rockingham, Vt.	M	S			John D. Perkins, Jr.	Pearl Willis
" 25	Ellen C. Downing				Marlow	F	S			James Downing	Electa Foster

*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MABEL D. HATCH,
Town Clerk.

FOREST FIRES—OUR MOST SHAMEFUL WASTE

Everyone apparently fears fires but too many are careless with it. This is particularly true of fires in and near woodlands. Official figures show that more than 98 percent of all forest fires result from human carelessness and can be prevented. Consequently, we may say "Forest Fires are our most shameful waste".

Annual forest fire losses are tremendous and their effects far reaching. Such fires destroy the raw products of the forests, the protection forests provide for game and the supply of ground water. They upset local economies by drawing men from gainful employment and requiring the expenditure of public funds to extinguish them.

Our forest fire organization is doing a good job in keeping the size of fires small but the number of fires is increasing. In 1949 there were 100 more fires in New Hampshire than in 1948, but they burned 500 acres less. For the warden and his deputies to do the job they are capable of, they must have the cooperation of the public—YOU!

The primary objective of all fire fighters is PREVENTION—fire stoppage. This is the goal toward which your local forest fire warden and his deputies are constantly working. It can be achieved ONLY if YOU and YOU cooperate with them. It is worth YOUR effort and can be accomplished by:

(1) Being careful with fire in or near woodland, being particularly careful with matches and cigarettes.
(2) Securing the required written permit from the warden when the ground is not covered with snow.
(3) Insisting that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.
(4) Calling the warden promptly when fire is detected and aiding him to extinguish it.

Let's reduce the number of forest fires and eliminate our most shameful waste.

F. J. BAKER,
District Chief.

1949 FIRE RECORD—MARLOW

Number of Fires, 3.
Acreage Burned, 2 3/8
Number of fire permits issued, 30.

Respectfully submitted
CHARLES R. ANDREWS,
Forest Fire Warden.